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SUBJECT: Environmental Assessment for Solid Waste Management at

Kalaupapa National Historical Park

An Environmental Assessment (EA) addressing the management of solid waste at Kalaupapa National Historical Park (NHP) is available for public review and comment. The National Park Service (NPS) prepared the EA to evaluate the environmental impacts of the Preferred Alternative and to meet the requirements of the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) and the National Historic Preservation Act (NHPA). A special note to reviewers, in response to scoping comments and further environmental evaluation, the NPS has removed Site A from the analysis as a location for the composting operation. Site E is the proposed location for the composting facility.

Individuals, agencies, and organizations are invited to comment on the EA. The EA is available on the Internet at: http://parkplanning.nps.gov and comments can be entered directly on the website or sent to:

Superintendent ATTN: EA Comments Kalaupapa National Historical Park P.O. 2222 Kalaupapa, HI 96742

Public comments must be postmarked or entered into the website by **January 22, 2007**.

Before including your address, phone number, e-mail address, or other personal identifying information in your comment, you should be aware that your entire comment—including your personal identifying information — may be made publicly available at any time. While you can ask us in your comment to withhold your personal identifying information from public review, we cannot guarantee that we will be able to do so.

Thank you for your interest in this project.

Thomas P. Workman Superintendent